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PATENT APPLICATION

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Inventor(s): Ganapati Mauze

Serial No.: 09/740,660

Examiner: Mary Ceperly

Filing Date: 12-18-2000

Group Art Unit: 1641

Title: FLUORESCENCE IMMUNOASSAYS USING ORGANO-METALLIC COMPLEXES FOR ENERGY TRANSFER

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
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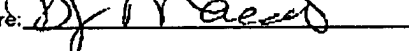
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(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$86	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$290	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$420.00	3RD MONTH \$950.00	4TH MONTH \$1480.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

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	Filing Date	December 18, 2000
	Group Art Unit	1641
	Examiner Name	Mary Ceperly
	Title	Fluorescence Immunoassays Using Organo-Metallic Complexes for Energy Transfer

Dear Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the FINAL REJECTION dated July 12, 2004, for which a three-month period for response was given making this response due on or before October 12, 2004. Therefore, this response is timely filed. In view of the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.